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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

Group Art Unit: 2739

KADAMBI et al

Examiner: Thai D HOANG

Serial Number: 09/528,000

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For: METHOD FOR MANAGING CONGESTION IN A NETWORK SWITCH

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 28, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below. This response complies with the amendment format as set forth in 68 Fed. Reg. 38611 dated June 30, 2003.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted on page 6.**

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